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TO: Chief, Coordination, Operations and Policy Staff

1. Attached herewith is the draft of the proposed memorandum from the Director to the National Security Council setting forth certain problems which make it difficult, if not impossible, for CIA to carry out the duties assigned to it by law and National Security Council Directives.

2. When this study goes forward, it should be accompanied by proposed revisions of NSCID Nos. 1 and 3. We shall discuss with you our ideas for such revisions when we finish our drafts.

3. This paper can be completely documented from the material at hand. When its final form has been agreed upon, and the Director has set forth the points upon which he will make his case and oral argument, we will interline the final text in the form of a brief with appropriate examples for each statement.

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